# 152nd SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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Agenda Item 3.2

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# REPORT OF THE AWARD COMMITTEE OF THE PAHO AWARD FOR ADMINISTRATION (2013)

- 1. The Award Committee of the PAHO Award for Administration (2013) is composed of the Delegates of Canada, Chile, and the United States of America.
- 2. The Committee met on 18 June, during the 152nd Session of the Executive Committee, and examined the information on the single candidate nominated by Member States, namely:

Name Country

Dr. Brendan Courtney Bain

Jamaica

- 3. The Committee recommended that the PAHO Award for Administration (2013) be awarded to Dr. Brendan Courtney Bain, of Jamaica, for his extensive contributions in administration and his work to strengthen the public health workforce in the Caribbean through education, training, and research. He has headed the Centre for HIV/AIDS Research, Education and Services at the University Hospital of the West Indies in Kingston, and currently serves as Director of both the Regional Coordinating Unit of the Caribbean HIV/AIDS Regional Training (CHART) network and the Caribbean Health Leadership Institute (CHLI). As Professor of Community Health, he initiated education and training in Clinical Infectious Disease at the University of West Indies and organized the first sensitization workshops on HIV/AIDS across Jamaica. Through his important research, he has studied HIV prevention and explored the psychosocial ramifications of HIV and AIDS, reinforcing the need for a whole-person approach to HIV/AIDS care and treatment.
- 4. The Committee recommends that the Executive Committee adopt a resolution along the following lines:

#### PROPOSED RESOLUTION

### PAHO AWARD FOR ADMINISTRATION (2013)

## THE 152nd SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,

Having examined the Report of the Award Committee of the PAHO Award for Administration (2013) (Document CE152/5, Add. I);

Bearing in mind the provisions of the procedures and guidelines for conferring the PAHO Award for Administration, as approved by the 18th Pan American Sanitary Conference (1970) and amended by the 24th Pan American Sanitary Conference (1994), and by the Executive Committee at its 124th (1999), 135th (2004), 140th (2007), and 146th (2010) sessions,

#### **RESOLVES:**

- 1. On the recommendation of the Award Committee, to confer the PAHO Award for Administration (2013) on Dr. Brendan Courtney Bain, of Jamaica, for his extensive contributions in administration and his work to strengthen the public health workforce in the Caribbean through education, training, and research. He has headed the Centre for HIV/AIDS Research, Education and Services at the University Hospital of the West Indies in Kingston, and currently serves as Director of both the Regional Coordinating Unit of the Caribbean HIV/AIDS Regional Training (CHART) network and the Caribbean Health Leadership Institute (CHLI). As Professor of Community Health, he initiated education and training in Clinical Infectious Disease at the University of West Indies and organized the first sensitization workshops on HIV/AIDS across Jamaica. Through his important research, he has studied HIV prevention and explored the psychosocial ramifications of HIV and AIDS, reinforcing the need for a whole-person approach to HIV/AIDS care and treatment.
- 2. To congratulate Dr. Brendan Courtney Bain for his excellent professionalism and outstanding work on behalf of his country and the Region.
- 3. To transmit the Report of the Award Committee of the PAHO Award for Administration (2013) (Document CE152/5, Add. I), to the 52nd Directing Council.

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